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| 1002 340                      | 2002 170                      | Design filing fee      |                |
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|                    |    | Extra Claims |   | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|--------------------|----|--------------|---|----------------|----------|
| Total Claims       | 51 | -20** =      | 0 | x              | 0        |
| Independent Claims | 8  | -3** =       | 0 | x              | 0        |
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| Fee Code     | Fee (\$) | Fee Code     | Fee (\$) |  |
| 1202         | 18       | 2202         | 9        | Claims in excess of 20                                     |
| 1201         | 86       | 2201         | 43       | Independent claims in excess of 3                          |
| 1203         | 290      | 2203         | 145      | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                      |
| 1204         | 86       | 2204         | 43       | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
| 1205         | 18       | 2205         | 9        | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

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| 1052 60       | 2052 26       |               | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet                     |          |
| 1053 130      | 2053 130      |               | Non-English specification  |          |
| 1812 2,520    | 1812 2,520    |               | For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination                     |          |
| 1804 920*     | 1804 920*     |               | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |          |
| 1805 1,840*   | 1805 1,840*   |               | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 1251 110      | 2251 55       |               | Extension for reply within first month                                     |          |
| 1252 420      | 2252 210      |               | Extension for reply within second month                                    |          |
| 1253 950      | 2253 475      |               | Extension for reply within third month                                     |          |
| 1254 1,480    | 2254 740      |               | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |          |
| 1255 2,010    | 2255 1,005    |               | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |          |
| 1401 330      | 2401 165      |               | Notice of Appeal   |          |
| 1402 330      | 2402 165      |               | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 1403 290      | 2403 145      |               | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 1451 1,510    | 1451 1,510    |               | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |
| 1452 110      | 2452 55       |               | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
| 1453 1,330    | 2453 665      |               | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
| 1501 1,330    | 2501 665      |               | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |          |
| 1502 480      | 2502 240      |               | Design issue fee   |          |
| 1503 640      | 2503 320      |               | Plant issue fee  |          |
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| 1809 770      | 2809 385      |               | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))                |          |
| 1810 770      | 2810 385      |               | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))             |          |
| 1801 770      | 2801 385      |               | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    |          |
| 1802 900      | 1802 900      |               | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  |          |

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